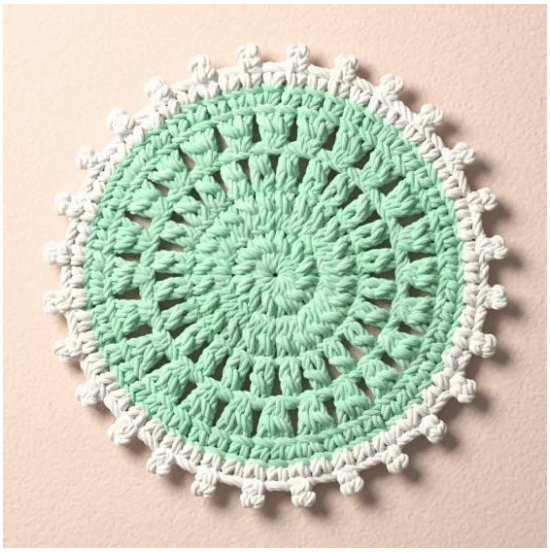
Picot edge cotton coaster

US terms



Finished size
Each about 4¾ in (12 cm) across

Skill
Easy
Worked in rounds, with 2 pieces, color changes and 1 special stitch.

Yarn
Light (3), 2 colors

Hook
4 mm (US G-6)

Gauge
18 stitches and 19 rows to 4 in (10 cm)
In single crochet.

You will need

Yarn A: spring mint, rounds 1 to 5 **about 30 yd (27 m), an estimate**
Yarn B: white, round 6 **about 15 yd (14 m), an estimate**
Hook: 4 mm (US G-6), or the size that gives you the gauge. Also: a yarn needle, scissors, pins for blocking and a spray bottle.

To find how many balls: divide by the length on your yarn's label and round up. Buy them from one dye lot. The estimate is from the stitches and chains of this size at this gauge, with 30 percent added.

Abbreviations

Written in US terms. Where the UK name differs it is given beside the US one.

ch	chain stitch
sl st	slip stitch (UK ss, slip stitch)
sc	single crochet (UK dc, double crochet)
dc	double crochet (UK tr, treble)
sp	space
st	stitch
rnd	round
RS	right side

Special stitches

picot: Ch 3, sl st in the top of the stitch just made.

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Gauge

18 stitches and 19 rows to 4 in (10 cm) in single crochet.

Check your gauge on the piece. Begin the pattern and measure the piece itself as you go. After round 2 the coaster measures about 2 in (5 cm) across. If yours is larger, use a smaller hook; if it is smaller, use a larger hook.

Before you start

- Rounds are worked with the right side facing; do not turn.
- Magic ring: wrap the yarn round two fingers, work the first round or row into the loop, then pull the tail until the ring is closed. Four chains joined into a ring with a slip stitch may be used instead.
- A chain that counts as a stitch is marked so in its line and is included in the count.
- A chain 1 at the start of a round does not count as a stitch.
- Fasten off the old color, then join the new one with a slip stitch in the place named; the first stitch or chain of the line is worked in that same place.
- A slip stitch at the start of a round only carries the yarn to the place named; the first stitch of the round is worked in that same place. If stitches lie between the joining and that place, slip stitch across them first.
- At the start of a round, same st is the stitch the round before was joined in; after a new color is joined, it is the stitch the color was joined in.
- The figures in brackets at the end of a line count its stitches, its picots and the chain spaces between them; slip stitches are not counted.
- Use cotton yarn: it takes up drips and stays flat under a warm cup.
- The same words in another yarn make another size, measured straight across: fine yarn (2) and a 3.25 mm hook, about 4 in (10 cm); medium yarn (4) and a 5 mm hook, about 6¼ in (16 cm); bulky yarn (5) and a 6.5 mm hook, about 7¾ in (20 cm).

Instructions

Square brackets [ ] hold a repeat: work what is inside as many times as it says. The count in round brackets at the end of a line is what that line leaves. Tick the box when a round is done. In UK terms sl st is slip stitch, sc is double crochet and dc is treble.

Coaster: make 2

Yarns in order of use: A, spring mint; B, white.

☐ **Foundation**	With A, make a magic ring.	
☐ **Rnd 1 (RS)**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), 11 dc in ring, sl st in top of ch-3 to join	**(12 dc)**
☐ **Rnd 2**	Ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same st, 2 dc in each of next 11 sts, sl st in top of ch-3 to join	**(24 dc)**
☐ **Rnd 3**	Ch 4 (counts as dc and ch-1), **[**dc in next st, ch 1**] 23 times**, sl st in 3rd ch of ch-4 to join	**(24 dc, 24 ch-1 sps)**
☐ **Rnd 4**	Sl st in next ch-1 sp, ch 3 (counts as dc), dc in same sp, 2 dc in each of next 23 ch-1 sps, sl st in top of ch-3 to join	**(48 dc)**
☐ **Rnd 5**	Ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next 4 sts, 2 sc in next st, **[**sc in next 5 sts, 2 sc in next st**] 7 times**, sl st in first sc to join	**(56 sc)**

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Fasten off A.

☐ **Rnd 6**	Join B with sl st in any st, ch 1, sc in same st, sc in next st, picot, **[**sc in next 2 sts, picot**] 27 times**, sl st in first sc to join	**(56 sc, 28 picots)**
☐ **End**	Fasten off, leaving a 6 in (15 cm) tail.	

Finishing

- Block: pin each coaster to a circle on a flat surface, each picot pulled straight out. Spray the coasters with water and let them dry.
- Weave in all the ends that are left with the yarn needle.

In all: 2 pieces; 440 stitches.

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